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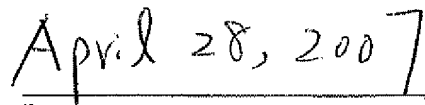
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DECLARATION OF HANG LI UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.132

1. My name is Hang Li and I am the sole inventor of the invention claimed in U.S. Patent Application 10/626,455 filed on July 23, 2003. (hereinafter the application)
2. I am also a co-author of a paper with Yunbo Cao entitled "Base Noun Phrase Translation Using Web Data and the EM Algorithm" which appeared in Proceedings of the 19th International Conference on Computational Linguistics, August 2002. (hereinafter the paper)
3. To the extent the paper describes elements of my invention claimed in the application, it is describing my work alone. Yunbo Cao did not contribute to the conception of the invention claimed in the application or described in the paper.
4. Yunbo Cao's contribution to the paper was to perform experiments on the efficacy of my invention. Yunbo Cao was only added as an author of the paper because of his work on the experiments. Yunbo Cao did not contribute to the conception of the invention.
5. During his work on the experiments, Yunbo Cao was my direct report and as such took instructions from me.

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